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"DEFER NO ONE"

Says Adjutant General, "Regardless of Whether Engaged in Cultivation of Crop or Not," So Men Are Drawn in Sequence of Order.

Since publishing the list of men from which the next bunch (113) will be drawn to go to Camp Zachary Taylor, the Ohio County Local Board has received a telephone message from Frankfort, also an order, stating that "under no consideration shall the board defer any man on account being engaged in the raising of a crop, and that the men MUST be called in sequence of their order number." As a result of this order, there will be a change of about 36 names in the list as published last week, and the following are the men who will be called as they come in the order:

Malin Midkiff, Fordsville.
Con Midkiff, Olaton.
James Earl Plummer, Prentiss.
Cyrus Williams, Wysox.
Leslie Shields, Cromwell.
Frank Allen Fenn, Dundee.
Ben H. Ferguson, Beech Creek.
S. W. Stewart, Beaver Dam.
Ira Mastison, Askins.
Archie D. Maddox, Rockport.
Willie E. Phillips, Centertown.
John H. Wright, Hartford.
Jesse E. Felix, Olaton.
Palmer J. Lloyd, Olaton.
Frank Stewart, Reynolds Sta.
Clyde Delaney, Hartford.
Albert W. Taylor, Echols.
Ed Heifner, Livermore.
Norval Leach, Beaver Dam.
Joseph Iler, Beaver Dam.
Percy A. Park, Horse Branch.
Emmet G. Taylor, Narrows.
Ermine F. Farmer, Hartford.
Herbert Wedding, Narrows.
Alnus Farmer, Fordsville.
Wm. G. Frazee, Fordsville.
Fred Robinson, Narrows.
Norman Spurrier, Whitesville.
James H. Ambrose, Hartford.
John N. Porter, Fordsville.
Geo. P. Cooper, Hartford.
Price Miller, Select.
Clyde B. Chinn, Beaver Dam.
Lonnie Evans, Calhoun.
Bennie Lindsey, Fordsville.
Wm. S. Rafferty, Beaver Dam.
Henry Mabree, Centertown.
Charlie King, Hartford.
Jesse Daniel, Hartford.
Ernest Ford, Hartford.
Vernon Durham, Rockport.
Jesse Ashford, Rosine.
Monroe Lee, Hartford.
Sammy Alden, Hartford.
Dossie V. Jackson, Island.
Virgil Kiper, Beaver Dam.
Haram Schroader, Rosine.
Rodney B. Fulton, Beaver Dam.
Talmage Brown, Fordsville.
Earnest Imur, Horse Branch.
Joseph C. Tucker, Hartford.
Archie D. Hoover, Hartford.
Harvey Flenner, Equality.
Guy T. Taylor, Beaver Dam.
Cleatus Daugherty, Baizetown.
Otis Hickey, Hartford.
Joseph E. Cook, Bannock.
Alpha T. Johnson, Narrows.
J. H. Keown, Fordsville.
Edgar L. Fitzhugh, Narrows.
Herman Miles, McHenry.
Earnest Pulliam, Narrows.
Alvin R. Heflin, Hartford.
Garran F. Moore, Horse Branch.
Ernest White, Hartford.
Claude Ford, Horse Branch.
Lee Keith, Horse Branch.
Fred A. Tanner, Hartford.
D. Elmore Grant, Narrows.
Malcolm B. Fuqua, Fordsville.
Birch Shields, Cromwell.
Jno. W. Jackson, Centertown.
Charles E. Cox, Island.
Fred Brown, Fordsville.
Sirgue G. Gilstrap, Simmons.
Charlie Foster, Echols.
Leonard Rowe, McHenry.
Edgar Kiper, Baizetown.
Joseph L. Griffith, Whitesville.
Bennie L. Frain, Paducah.
Stanley Phillips, Narrows.
Chester R. Main, Beaver Dam.
Robert B. McDougall, Centertown.
Archie White, Hartford.
Robert A. Plummer, Prentiss.
Roscoe Hall, Fordsville.
Ed Owen, Deapfield.
Wm. C. Douglas, Cromwell.
Earl Westerfield, Whitesville.
Ed L. Reed, Beaver Dam.
Jesse L. Austin, Beaver Dam.
Leonis Smith, Hartford.
Archie Chapman, Hartford.
William A. Vaught, Wysox.
Archie Carns, McHenry.
Myrtle McCleary, Vincennes, Ind.

Felix C. Birch, Horse Branch.
Ivory Chas. Lynch, Olaton.
John R. Phipps, Hartford.
Rufus Lashbrooks, Prentiss.
Chester Shields, Cromwell.
Earl Thomason, Hartford.
Dee Carl Ferguson, Horse Branch.
Joseph E. Stone, Hartford.
Oscar Shields, Cromwell.
Kernie Rhoads, Deapfield.
Cecil Brown, Detroit, Mich.
Ola M. Keown, Hartford.
Isaac C. Iezarth, Akron, Ohio.
Frank Chinn, Hartford.
Wm. E. Drake, Cromwell.
Wary B. Majin, Beaver Dam.
James C. Tomes, Narrows.

ALTERNATES

Arvin Iglehart, Narrows.
Willie D. Muffet, Narrows.
Dexter D. Whittinghill, Lexington.
Cecil Martin, Evansville.
Grover C. Green, Hartford.
Henry L. Tanner, Hartford.
Stanley Gilstrap, Select.
Vascoe C. Baird, Hartford.
Jesse J. Coppage, Dundee.
Fryon F. Iglehart, Centertown.
Ira Kahn, Cromwell.
Albert C. Elliot, Beaver Dam.

DRAFTED BOYS:

Be sure and bring in your final classification card when you answer the call, May 28th.

Local Board.

FAMILY REUNION.

Mr. and Mrs. Elijah Brown, had a family reunion at their home Sunday, May 12, in honor of her brother, E. M. Iglehart, and wife of Pony Montana. The guests were: Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Iglehart, Mr. and Mrs. Will Brown, and family, Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Bishop, and family, Mr. and Mrs. Luther Addington, and family, Mr. Will Iglehart, Mrs. Essie Carter, and baby, Mr. Odus Brown, Mr. Harden Brown, Mr. Judson Brown, and Hubert Iglehart.

RED CROSS AT FORDSVILLE.

The drive for the 2nd. Red Cross War fund at Fordsville was opened Sunday afternoon at M. E. church by Rev. Johnston Weldon, of Louisville, Ky., who is holding a revival in that church. It was a forceful lecture and over \$400.00 was contributed to this great cause.

Other mass meetings have been planned for the week with excellent speakers and Fordsville Chapter expects to go well "Over the Top."

(Signed) J. B. WESTERFIELD, Chairman

MARY T. QUISENBERRY, Sec.

OHIO COUNTY BOY IN FRANCE.

Mrs. S. A. Campbell, of Equality, has received word from her son, J. Raymond Campbell, who is "somewhere in France." He reports that he is feeling fine and enjoying the lovely weather, but is somewhat homesick. He has found one French lady with whom he can converse. He was promoted to the Sergeant's office before he left Rockford, Ind. He is with another Ohio County boy, Mr. Chester Keown and these home boys make excellent chums "over there."

VALUABLE MULES KILLED BY LIGHTENING.

Two valuable mules belonging to T. H. Balmain, who resides about three miles north east of Hartford, were killed by lightning during the electrical storm Sunday evening. The mules were killed while running about the yard. Their value was about \$535.00.

KILLING AT OWENSBORO.

Tuesday's Owensboro Messenger says: Between 9 and 10 o'clock Monday night Owensboro was the scene of two shooting affrays, as a result of which Charles Graves, twenty-one years of age, is dead, John Maghinger is seriously wounded in the right thigh and Norine Trogden will lose his left eye.

Capt. D. D. Felix in France



CAPT. D. D. FELIX, U. S. N. A.

Sunday's Courier-Journal contained the above excellent likeness of a former Hartford boy and the following write-up. The special was sent to the Louisville paper from Washington. "One young Kentuckian who is making an enviable record in France in Capt. Douglas Duncan Felix. Capt. Felix is the son of F. L. Felix, of Hartford, former owner and publisher of the Hartford Herald. He is an honor graduate of the University of Kentucky and an honor graduate of the law school of Yale University, where he was in the class taught by former President William H. Taft. "After finishing at Yale, Capt. Felix practiced law for a short time in Louisville. Early in 1916 he came to Washington to accept a position

under Representative Ben Johnson with the District of Columbia Committee of the House of Representatives. A year later he resigned to accept an appointment as attorney with the Federal Trade Commission. "Capt. Felix gave up this position last October to receive a Commission as First Lieutenant in the National Army. He was at once assigned to special duty in the office of Maj. Gen. E. H. Crowder, Provost Marshal General at Washington. Last February he was promoted to the rank of Captain.

"Because of his excellent record in the office of the Provost Marshal General he was selected recently to go to France as Acting Judge Advocate of a brigade of artillery. He is now serving in that capacity "somewhere in France."

EXERCISES OF HIGH SCHOOL.

Last week was Commencement week of the High school. Besides the excellent recital Monday night and the splendid address of Mr. Ringo Tuesday night, two very interesting plays were given by the Junior and Senior classes on Wednesday and Thursday night respectively. On Wednesday night the Juniors presented the "Heiress Hunters" a charming play, well carried out. With a suitable cast and an appreciative audience this play made a decided hit. On Thursday night the Senior play, "Claim Allowed" was given. This was a patriotic production and was one of the most impressive ever witnessed. Each character filled his or her place perfectly and all combined to make it extremely touching. It was a war-play and very pertinent at this time. So real was the acting that one would find himself in voluntarily brushing the tears away at the scenes of pathos, clinching his fists at the acts of indignation or smiling at the sallies of the old negro valet. This play represents a phase in our national life that is not fully understood and appreciated—the necessity for sacrifice. Every American audience should witness it or one similar.

On Friday night Commencement exercises were held at the Methodist church. A large audience was present and the program enjoyed by all. Oscar Bennett, class President, delivered an excellent oration on "Present-Day Aims of the High School," while the Valedictorian, Miss Winnie D. Moseley gave an Appreciative oration on "The Blessings of War." Prof. Bruner gave an interesting review of the work done by the school during last year. Prof. Leach presented the Scholarship Medals to Misses Mary Lindley and Ella Henry. The Commencement address was delivered by Supt. J. H. Risley, of the Owensboro schools, who also presented the diplomas. The patrons and faculty, and pupils as well, are to be congratulated upon the splendid work done during the past year.

Rev. W. J. Miller and wife were callers at the Herald office Monday.

SPEAKING AT HARTFORD.

A real treat for the people of Hartford, and the County at large, will be the addresses of Private Sauter and Mr. McCullough, at the Court house, May 25th. They are speaking in interest of the Red Cross, the drive for the \$100,000,000 fund being in full swing. Private Sauter is a Canadian soldier, fresh from the trenches, having taken part in checking the great German drive, and his message will be full of interest and information. Mr. McCullough, of Cincinnati, will also deliver an address. The speakers will get off the train at McHenry, where they will give a short address, then to Hartford, where they will speak at 4 o'clock and on to Beaver Dam for an engagement at 8:30 that night. Every one should attend these meetings.

BOARD TO INVESTIGATE FLIMSY DEFERMENT CASES.

The Ohio County Local Board is in touch with all registered under its jurisdiction, and the cases of several men who have been given deferred classification will more than likely be put in Class 1, and possibly sent to camp at an early date.

Cases where many have been given deferred classification on account of dependents must contribute to their support or the case will be brought to the attention of the Board which will immediately forward them to the camp. No one must forget the fact that the Board is in touch with every one under its jurisdiction.

MADE A MAJOR.

Capt. John L. Lallinger, of Beaver Dam, who is stationed with 1st Battalion, 5th Depot Brigade, Camp Zachary Taylor, has been promoted to the rank of Major. We congratulate Major Lallinger on his promotion.

NEIGHBORHOOD NEWS

All About You and Your Neighbors

FORDSVILLE.

Mrs. Leonard Smith is visiting Mrs. Charley Mason.
Miss Sylvia Eskridge of Irvington is visiting Mrs. C. P. Kissinger.
Rev. Walter Greep filled his regular appointment at the Christian Church on the second Sunday.
Bro. Collins, of the Kentucky Orphans Home, visited the Sunday Schools Sunday.
Rev. Weldon, of Louisville, is holding a series of meetings at the Methodist church.
Mrs. Dr. Day of Mayfield is visiting her mother Mrs. George Fuqua.
Mrs. Joe Brinkley is visiting her mother at Dawson Springs.
Mrs. H. P. Hart and children, are visiting their mother at Basket.
Mrs. Sallie Westerfield, of Owensboro, is visiting Mr. Will Royal.

BEECH VALLEY.

The farmers are greatly behind with their work now on account of the high water.
Wheat crops are looking fine.
Miss Artie Barnett, of Evansville, Ind., and Miss Gertrude Barnett, of Owensboro, spent Monday night with Mr. Jim Magan, and family.
Mr. Willie Patton, of Ralph's spent Monday night with his sister, Mrs. T. S. Miller.
Mrs. R. A. Duke and children have measles.

Misses Arzella Magan, and Anna Wright, went to Fordsville, shopping Friday.

Mr. Clarence Taul, has purchased a new \$140 buggy.
Mrs. Frank Pulliam and little son, Gilmour, of Whitesville, Ky., spent from Tuesday until Thursday with Mr. J. H. Miller, and family.

Mrs. Lura Westerfield and son, Heavrin, of Narrows spent Tuesday night with her sister, Mrs. M. E. J. ler.

Mr. J. L. Patton, of Ralph went to Fordsville Friday on business.

Mrs. Hayden Westerfield, of Narrows, was called to the bedside of her niece, Mrs. R. A. Duke, of Palo, Wednesday night, who is ill with measles.

Mrs. Nannie Pulliam, who fell and hurt herself, is improving slowly.
Mr. Zack Greer, of Magan, has returned home from Canolou, Mo.

BEAVER DAM.

Miss Lacie Ann Stewart, daughter of Thomson Stewart, of Taylor Mines, died Saturday morning with typhoid fever. She was 13 years old. Her remains were interred in Taylor Mines burying grounds Sunday afternoon.

The corn crib of Solon Chinn was struck by lightning and set on fire Saturday. About 500 bushell of corn, 40 bushell of peas, a few bushells of wheat and a wagon were burned with the crib.

Mason Taylor shipped a car load of hogs to Louisville last week, that sold for forty one hundred dollars on the market in that city.

Rev. C. D. Chick, of Millersburg, Ky. but formerly of Beaver Dam, will preach at the Baptist church Wednesday evening at 8 p. m.

Mrs. S. D. Taylor and Mrs. Ernest Taylor, are visiting in Bowling Green this week.

Miss Maude Poole, of Rochester, is visiting her uncle, Mr. Dav Taylor and family this week.

Miss Era Gardner, of Morgan-town, spent the week-end with Miss Edna Williams and other friends.
Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Williams, of Stone, Ky., are taking their vacation with Mrs. Williams' mother, Mrs. Florence Alford.

Mrs. W. R. Cook, and son, Emmett, are visiting in Whitesville this week.

HORSE BRANCH.

(Too late for last week)

The small-pox scare is over, and the town is now settled to its regular routine of work.

Mr. J. Ford, has returned from La Fayette, Ill., where he had been visiting his son, Jesse, and family.

Mrs. Sarah Axton, who has been sick for some time, is better.

Mr. B. L. Boyd, is visiting his son at Martwick.

Miss Oma Payton, of Olaton, was here on business Wednesday.
Miss Myrtle Cannon attended the

Commencement Exercises at Fordsville last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Campbell were in Louisville last week.
Mr. C. S. Moxley, of Fordsville, was here surveying last week.

Mr. E. A. White was in White Plains Friday on business.

Mrs. H. V. Morrison attended the Commencement Exercises at Fordsville last week where her son, Arthur, graduated in High School with Honor.

Mrs. M. B. Dupert, of Louisville, is visiting here and having her property repaired.

Mrs. N. B. Sargent and son, Goodloe, went to Whitesville Tuesday.

Mr. Carson Gary went to Beaver Dam Monday.

Mr. Everette Bratcher, of Goff's, advance Supt. of C. and I. Chautauqua Co. of Cleveland, Ohio, visited Dr. and Mrs. J. S. Bean Sunday.

Mrs. Jerry Cannon has rented the "Sandusky Hotel" and Mr. J. B. McDaniel will take charge of McDaniel Hotel. Both are experienced hotel keepers.

Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Read, and children, spent Sunday in Owensboro.

Dr. J. S. Bean went to the Wrestling Match at Louisville Friday evening.

Bro. Ward Taylor filled his regular appointment here Saturday and Sunday and delivered two excellent sermons.

SULPHUR SPRINGS.

We had a regular deluge of rain yesterday a week ago. It has been raining most every day since, and last night another very hard rain came and overflowed the bottoms, and there is no telling when the ground will do to work. Corn planting was getting in full swing, but since the rain every thing on the farm is at a standstill. Farmers in the bottoms fear they will have to plant over. Wheat, oats and meadows are growing fine and pastures were never better. Stock is getting fat and hogs sell at 20 cts per pound and good cows are worth about what you ask for them.

The families of J. A. Ballard and A. Murphy, who have had such a hard time with measles, are getting about well.

Most of the tobacco left in this section was taken to market last week. Most growers were well pleased with the prices and are preparing to raise another big crop. We fear to the neglect of food crops.

MRS. R. L. DEVER DEAD.

Mrs. R. L. Dever, wife of Mr. R. L. Dever, the grocer on Union street, died early Tuesday morning of childbirth, in the family apartments above the grocery.

Mrs. Dever was 28 years old, and before her marriage was a Miss Rock, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Luther Rock, of the Concord neighborhood.

She was a member of the Christian church, and her funeral will be preached this morning by Rev. Walter Greep, at the Midkiff burying ground, near Mt. Vernon, where her remains will be buried.

LOCAL EDITOR AN AUTHOR.

Mr. Walter Greep, Local Editor of the Herald, has placed on sale several copies of the latest edition of his well-known book, "Songs of Sixteen Summers." This book was written by Mr. Greep when he was only sixteen years of age and has sold in every state in the Union as well as foreign countries. It was highly praised by Magazines and eminent men, the late James Whitcomb Riley writing a letter high in commendation of it. Mr. Greep has only a limited number of these books and these will be sold at a nominal price. It can be obtained at the Herald office.

FORGING PLANT GUTTED BY FIRE.

Fire, which originated in a very peculiar manner, destroyed the plant of the Owensboro Forging company in West Second street road at the railroad crossing at 3 o'clock Monday afternoon. The property loss is estimated at \$65,000 with \$40,000 insurance. Great damage to the machinery will constitute the chief loss.—Owensboro Messenger.

LETTERS CAUSE DESERTIONS.

In a recent statement the War Department strongly advises against discouraging letters to soldiers:

"Recent reports from commanding generals of certain Army divisions indicate that one of the fruitful causes of soldiers absenting themselves without leave is the discouraging letter from home. Such letters frequently give alarming and exaggerated reports of conditions surrounding the soldier's family, that some member is desperately ill, that all are starving, or that they are being in some way harassed. In instances such letters have so preyed upon the minds of soldiers that they have absented themselves without leave to go home, only to find that conditions had been grossly exaggerated.

"Meanwhile, the soldier had been absent without leave—a serious military offense. His problem then became one of facing the penalty or getting deeper into trouble by deserting. Sometimes a man's pride or fear has led him to desert.

"Every soldier wants to receive letters from home. They should be frequent, cheerful, hopeful, and appreciative of the sacrifice that he is making for his country. They should be full of family incidents and cheerful home gossip. They should protect him from the trifling alarms and the small annoyances of everyday life. They should encourage him by giving full confidence that his family and friends stand behind him in the great enterprise he has undertaken.

"The value of such letters to soldiers is beyond estimate. The harm of discouraging letters from home to him is clearly indicated by reports at The Adjutant General's Office. There are some extracts from recent reports of division commanders:

"I find, also, that many of the families of them write to them of unsatisfactory conditions at home, sickness of relatives, and how much various members of the family wish to see the soldier. These letters, so far as sickness, etc., are concerned, are often overdrawn, but, combined with the homesick feeling, often result in the man going absent without leave and finally being dropped as a deserter."

"I am now, through the newspapers of Indiana and through lectures in Kentucky, whom we are able to reach through the office of the adjutant general of that State, endeavoring to advise the home people of these men of the seriousness of these offenses and that their efforts should be to assist every man in performing the duty that has devolved on him, to lighten his worries and, above all, to regard desertion in its proper light. I shall also attempt to get the West Virginia papers to inaugurate a campaign of education along similar lines."

"A division inspector submitted the following in this connection:

"While stationed at Columbus, Ga., last year I was a member of a general court-martial that tried approximately 100 enlisted men for desertion from National Guard regiments stationed on the border. I believe I am safe in saying that at least 90 per cent of them gave as their reason for desertion the fact that they had received letters from home to the effect that a wife, sister, or mother was either dying, very ill, or in destitute circumstances, and begged the man to come home at once. Many of the men admitted that the writer of the letter had exaggerated conditions."

"Many young soldiers, fresh from home, suffer from homesickness, no matter how Army officers may try to make their surroundings pleasant and comfortable and provide proper amusements. Extraordinary measures have been taken by the War Department during the past year to keep the young soldier actively engaged while in camp with sports, amusements, and comforts that a wholesome psychology might be sustained. Still, a type of soldier will return for home and fall into a brooding mood. It is obvious how harmful to him and to the service a disconnected letter from home might be."

MEAT PASSES CAREFUL INSPECTION.

The Army consumes about 2,000,000 pounds per day of fresh beef. This necessitates the slaughter daily of 4,000 cattle. Official inspectors scrutinize every part of this supply from the time it comes on the hoof to the abattoir until it vanishes from the mess tin of the soldier.

Inspection begins at the stockyards, where the living animals undergo the examination of an official for any evidences of physical defect which might be difficult of detection later. Where there is doubt the questionable animals are separated for closer examination. Where there is uncertainty of defect, the animal is rejected as unfit for food supply.

Next comes a rigid examination of

SURE, BILL NEEDS HELP!

By WYNIE KING, in Louisville Herald, April 11, 1918.



the carcass. Only when found "sound, healthful, and wholesome" is the meat passed as acceptable for food and duly branded with a non-poisonous vegetable ink. "United States Inspected and Passed." The unfit carcasses are destroyed.

Fresh meats thus indorsed go forward in regular shipments, but those which are to undergo curing, canning, or manufacture into sausages, lard, oleomargarine, etc., are subjected to inspections at each step. For these there is a final inspection just previous to their dispatch for Army use. Samples are regularly collected for chemical analysis in the Government laboratories.

When the meats arrive at the Army stations they are again inspected either by inspectors of the Bureau of Animal Industry or by veterinarian officers of the Army. They must also obtain the approval of the officer of the Quartermaster Corps receiving them. And they undergo their final test when the soldier's immediate organization commander looks them over before he permits them to be served to his men.

TO DIVORCE GERMANY.

New York, (by A. P.)—Revelation of the Government's plans "to divorce Germany permanently from American industry and commerce" will be made by A. Mitchell Palmer, Custodian of Alien Enemy Property, at a meeting here May 8 under the auspices of the National Security League. Accepting the league's invitation to speak, Mr. Palmer wrote from Washington: "I shall address myself to the subject, 'Germany's Industrial Army on American Soil.' It seems to me a good opportunity to disclose the result of my observations as alien property custodian, showing the strong industrial and commercial foothold which Germany obtained in this country before the war and what we are now proposing to do, to divorce Germany permanently from American industry and commerce."

Elihu Root, honorary president of the National Security League, will preside.

A NEW SWINDLE.

Parents of soldiers in camps are warned by the War Department of a swindle which has been successfully operated in various camps.

A telegram is sent informing that the soldier has a furlough, and requesting funds by wire to come home, waiving identification. The rest is a mere matter of detail.

Parents and friends should be warned of this game and of the similar one where the telegraphic request is to mail money to the soldier, care general delivery.

"STURMPANZERKRAFTWAGEN" IS WHAT GERMANS CALL TANK.

Paris.—The war correspondent at the front for the Temps writes: "Some one asked me recently what the Germans called their 'tanks.' I was compelled to confess ignorance. A document found since, however, shows that the German for tank is 'Sturmpanzerkraftwagen.'"

SPRAY FOR WILD GARLIC.

Wild garlic may be controlled by spraying with fuel oil before the plants begin to form heads.

Market white-shelled and brown shelled eggs in separate packages. Uniform products command the best prices. Never mark small or dirty eggs.

POOR, BUT PATRIOTIC.

Washington.—A man too poor to buy a Liberty Bond today offered the Treasury his most prized possession, a gold dollar given him by Abraham Lincoln in 1860 at Mattoon, Ill., to be auctioned off and the receipts turned into bonds. Writing to Secretary McAdoo, he said:

"Uncle Abe jokingly put his hand on my shoulder and said: 'George, you will vote for me, won't you?'"

"I said, 'I can't, Uncle Abe, because you are a Republican and I am a Democrat.'"

"He burst into a big laugh and said:

"George, I am going to give you a present for your honesty."

"He put his hand in his pocket and pulled out a gold dollar and gave it to me. I have been offered \$2,500 for that dollar, and I prize it very highly, but I will send it to you and will let it go at any price to get a Liberty Bond to help the boys in France."

The Treasury now is trying to find a way of disposing of the Lincoln dollar.

136 WAR PLANES

PRODUCED IN WEEK.

Washington.—Figures placed before the house military committee today by Secretary Baker and assistants, and made public tonight by a member indicate a great recent speeding up. This member, a Republican, said he was confident the worst had been passed. His figures which he said were known to so many men that it was folly to keep them secret, follow:

Personal: There are now 3,600 military aviators, 6,000 graduates of observation, pursuit and bombing flying schools, 5,000 others physically examined and approved for training, 15,000 flying and non-flying officers in the United States, 133,000 men in all in the signal corps. One year ago, the flying personal was 73 junior military aviators.

Production: The week of April 27 the output of combat and bombing planes was 136; of bombing and combat engines, 500.

Abroad: One thousand Americans with French, British and Italian training officers.

Foreign aid: Five hundred foreign planes delivered to American forces and 14,000 delivered and 8,000 ordered. There are 1,500 planes with the American forces.

INVENTED DURING CIVIL WAR.

Trenches were first used in the Civil War in the United States when it was found that a trench dug out in an hour, was far better protection than a fort costing thousands of dollars.

"Money doesn't grow," people often say who don't try to save it. But did you ever begin to put away the nickles and dimes and see how many you can get in a few weeks? You will be surprised to see what you have within a short time. Now if you buy a Thrift Stamp with every twenty-five cents you get, you will soon have a nice little sum laid away and at the same time you will be a soldier helping your government.

The Louisville Courier-Journal says editorially:

"Me and Gott be praised, junk a shipload of Y. M. C. A. workers." Later, "Gott stafe the Y. M. C. A. workers. They didn't drown. Donnerwetter, what's the matter with Gott?"

COURT DIRECTORY.

Circuit Court.
Judge—R. W. Slack, Owensboro.
Com'th. Attorney—C. E. Smith, Hartford.
Clerk—A. C. Porter, Hartford.
Master Commissioner—Otto C. Martin, Hartford.
Trustee Jury Fund—Cal. P. Keown, Hartford.
1st Monday in March—12 days—Com'th. and Civil.
1st Monday in May—12 days—Civil.
1st Monday in July—12 days—Com'th. and Civil.
3rd Monday in September—12 days—Civil.
4th Monday in November—12 days—Com'th. and Civil.

County Court.
Meets first Monday in each month.
Judge—Mack Cook.
County Atty—A. D. Kirk.
Clerk—W. C. Blankenship.
Sheriff—S. A. Bratcher.
Superintendent—E. S. Howard.
Jailer—Worth Tichenor.
Assessor—D. E. Ward.
Surveyor—C. S. Moxey.
Coroner—
Fiscal Court.
Meets Tuesday after first Monday in January, April and October.
1st District—Ed Shown, Hartford, Route 3.
2nd District—Sam L. Stevens, Beaver Dam.
3rd District—Q. B. Brown, Simons.
4th District—G. W. Rowe, Centertown.
5th District—W. C. Daughterty, Baileztown.
6th District—W. S. Dean, Dundee.
7th District—B. F. Rice, Fordsville.
8th District—B. C. Rhoades, Hartford, Route 5.

Hartford.
Mayor—J. E. Bean.
Clerk—J. A. Howard.
Police Judge—C. M. Crowe.
Marshal—E. P. Casebier.
Beaver Dam.
Ch'm'n. Board—W. T. McKenney.
Clerk—D. Baker Rhoades.
Police Judge—J. M. Porter.
Marshal—R. F. Stevens.
Rockport.
Ch'm'n. Board—James Wilson.
Clerk—Rushing Hunt.
Police Judge—John T. Jackson.
Marshal—Will Langford.
Fordsville.
Ch'm'n. Board—W. R. Jones.
Clerk—Olla Cobb.
Police Judge—C. P. Kessinger.
Marshal—Grant Pollard.

L. H. & ST. L. R. R. TIME TABLE

No. 113 due at Ellmitch	8:32 p. m.
No. 110 due at Ellmitch	7:30 a. m.
No. 112 Lv. Ellmitch	3:40 p. m.
Ar. Irvington	5:35 p. m.
Lv. Irvington	5:56 p. m.
Ar. Louisville	7:49 p. m.
No. 111 Lv. Louisville	8:35 a. m.
Ar. Irvington	10:06 a. m.
Lv. Irvington	10:40 a. m.
Ar. Ellmitch	1:04 p. m.

M., H. & E. R. R. TIME TABLE.

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North Bound, No. 114—	
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JUDGE COURT OF APPEALS.

We are authorized to announce JON. J. W. HENSON, of Henderon, a candidate for Judge of the Court of Appeals from the Second Appellate District, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

We are authorized to announce Judge WARNER E. SETTLE, of Bowling Green, a candidate for re-election for Judge of the Court of Appeals, from the Second Appellate District, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

If you want to knock the "hel out of Wilhelm," buy a Thrift Stamp.

Sincerity is a virtue to be coveted. I want to be like the old negro: "What I is, I is, and I ain't no iser."

And now some one says the Kaiser has lost his mind. That's no news. What we are waiting for is the news that he has lost his head.

A brokerage house will probably be opened after the war to deal in war-junk, making a specialty of the discarded crown of Europe.

Speaking of surprises, Suppose all women over 21 had to register! The surprise is, the number who are only "sweet sixteen," who would have to sign up.

Some one says we should not fight for the betterment of humanity because life itself is only a dream. This may be true, but if it is we don't want it to be a night-mare.

A "great" German Reverend says that Germany is "God's seed corn for the future." We believe this so strongly that we are going to see her planted, but will take care to see that she does not "germinate."

The report is out that Hindenburg is dead. If this be true it means the wrecking of the fondest hopes of many a young American, who lives in anticipation of the big notch he intends to cut on his rifle stock.

What's become of the long-winded fellow who used to stand on the street corner, tell how to run the Government, and cuss the President? "Gone glimmering through the mist of things that were" before the Sedition Act was passed.

Oh, the philosophy of children! Recently a father, in presence of a large crowd, intending to tease his little daughter, asked: "Mary why is it that angels never have whiskers?" "Dad that's easy to understand, she answered; "if men ever get to Heaven at all, it will be by a close shave."

The Kaiser of Germany and Emperor Charles of Austria remind us of two dogs who have a common bone and growl over who shall eat it, at the same time being forced to fight together to keep some other dog from taking it away from them. We think Fido and Rover would be good names for them if it were not for disgracing the fair name of so many respectable curs.

The Kaiser's steam-rolling "Kultur Special" has missed schedule. His time-table's ran about as follows: Paris, (first station) pass in 3 weeks; London (second station) pass in 3 months; Washington (terminal) arrive in 3 years. She started down the track alright, but there was a washout on the Aisne, a landslide on the Marne, then she jumped the track at Verdun and will have to back into Berlin for repairs.

This is the week of the great Red Cross drive. It is a time of patriotic challenge to our nobler sentiments. As Nelson preached to his fleet before the fight at Trafalgar, "It's time for every man to do his best." It is said that during the big fight in Flanders the English women heard the thump of the great guns. What anxiety must have filled the mother's heart, and what a satisfaction to know that, if her boy

was lying wounded somewhere out there, the angels of the Red Cross would give him aid. Stand behind this mightiest mission of mercy.

At last the Americans are in the thick of the fighting. In the great battles on the northern front they are helping stem the tide of the on-rushing Huns. How many lives it will cost, we know not; how the issues of the great impending drive will terminate, it is vain to prophecy. But this we do know and we know it well—the gallant sons of the Great Republic will not falter, nor fail to do their duty. And out of it all, when the war-clouds have blown over; out of the confusion and the chaos, the struggle and the strife, will be born a nobler manhood, a purer womanhood and a golden age of love and fraternalism will be ushered in.

A law has been recently enacted by Legislation making it a penalty for any able-bodied man between the ages of 16 to 60 to not engage in some productive or useful labor 36 hours per week. This is good legislation, not only for war-time but for peace-time as well, and we trust that it will continue in effect after the war. In a few days 113 boys will leave Ohio County for the training camp. Many hundreds have already gone. This creates an unparalleled condition in the labor situation. Prices are the best, and still farmers and others are unable to secure sufficient help. There is absolutely no excuse for anyone being out of employment. And still, cases have been brought to the attention of the Editor, of young men, strong physically, who habitually refuse to work. These cases are not a thousand miles away but are here in Ohio County, the city of Hartford being no exception. The man who refuses to do his mite of labor is a slacker of the worst sort and a vagrant who should be summarily dealt with.

MERCHANT MARINE SERVICE NEEDS MEN.

Mr. James H. Williams, the druggist, has been appointed Special Enrolling Agent for the Merchant Marine service. He will enroll young men between the ages of 21 and 30, sound physically, and with a desire to serve. This is a preferred branch as it entirely exempts one from military service, at the same time offering good pay and a chance to see the world. 50,000 young-men are wanted. Any information may be obtained from Mr. Williams.

NOTICE TO THE LADIES AND GIRLS.

Miss Lillie C. Goldnamer, who is District Agent for this part of the State in Domestic Science will be here May, 28th & 31, inclusive and will give demonstrations in making cottage cheese at the following places and dates:

Hartford, Tuesday May, 28th, 2:30 P. M. at the Court House.

Beaver Dam, Wednesday, May, 29th, 2:30 P. M.

McHenry, Thursday, May, 30th, 2:30 P. M.

Rockport, Friday, May, 31st, 2:30 P. M.

At Hartford and Beaver Dam she wishes to organize Girls Canning Clubs and perhaps at the other places also. We hope as many of the girls and ladies of the surrounding country will meet with her at these places as can possibly do so and take advantage of this opportunity to be with Miss Goldnamer in this work.

W. W. BROWDER,
County Agent.

DEEDS MUST BE STAMPED FOR FULL VALUE.

Owensboro, Ky., May 16.—We would call your special attention to the fact that all deeds made on or since December 1, 1917, should be stamped for their full value, and not their consideration. Grantor should stamp the deeds, and where notes are executed in payment, grantee should stamp the notes. The law is very plain, and is as follows: "That whoever makes, signs or accepts or causes to be made, signed or accepted any instrument, document or paper of any kind or description whatsoever, without the full amount of tax thereon being fully paid is guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction thereof, in Federal Court, shall pay a fine of \$100 for each offense."

This office has no desire to prosecute persons who have violated the Statutes through a misunderstanding of the law. I will be in Hartford June 1st, 1918, at the County Court Clerk's office and you are directed to bring your deed to that office on the date indicated in order that it may be properly stamped in my presence.

Respectfully,
JOHN T. MAY,
Deputy Collector.

NOTHER REGISTRATION JUNE 5, 1918.

The Ohio County Local Board has been notified that the President will soon issue a proclamation setting Wednesday, June 5, 1918, as the day for all young men becoming 21 years of age since June 5, 1917, to register. All men who have reached the age of 21 since that date must register. It is likely that the men will all be registered at the office of the board here in Hartford.

SUPERINTENDENT MASONIC ORPHANS' HOME TO SPEAK HERE.

Mr. T. J. Adams, Supt. of the Masonic Widows' and Orphans' Home Louisville, will be in Hartford Monday, June 3rd, and will deliver a lecture at the court house at 2 p. m. on that date on the subject of "Masonry and the Widows' and Orphans' Home." The public is cordially invited to this lecture, to which there is no admission fee.

Supt. Adams will assist Hartford Lodge no. 675, F. and A. M. in third degree work the night of June 3rd.

PROLIFIC HEN.

Rev. W. J. Miller, of Hartford, has a crippled hen, 3 years old, which has laid 84 eggs without missing a day and is still laying. She is of the Rhode Island Red stock and is small in size. A flock of this variety would be a paying proposition. Number acre of mineral

OHIO COUNTY'S HIGHEST TAX PAYERS

List of the three largest payers in each precinct: Below are given the names of the three highest tax payers in each precinct in the county, except a few which are not tabulated. This list does not necessarily represent the total wealth of each payer but only the assessed valuation of his property. The list is as follows:

DR. VAN RAINES DEAD.

Just before going to press we learned that Dr. Van Raines, formerly of this county, but for many years a resident of Caneyville, Ky., committed suicide by shooting himself. The loss of his eye sight and bad health is given as the cause. His remains will be

interred in the Mount Pleasant grave yard near his old home to-day. He leaves a wife and two sons.

Messrs. L. L. Stewart, McHenry, and J. T. Wallace, Hartford, Route 2, were among the Herald's callers yesterday.

SPEAKING.

The gentlemen named below will address the citizens of Ohio county in the interest of the second Red Cross War fund at the following times and places: Washington church May 24 at 8 P. M. W. H. Barnes and C. O. Hunter. Bell's Run May 25 1 P. M. Hon. C. M. Crow.

Mt. Carmel May, 25 8 P. M. J. S. Glenn.

Everybody is urged to attend and assist with his presence and substance in this great work.

Advice from Shanghai states that the subscriptions to the third Liberty loan there amount to over \$600,000, and a report from the American embassy in Mexico City states the subscriptions there are more than \$350,000.

BUY WAR SAVING STAMPS

Pershing's army is at the active battle front. The seriousness of America's part if the world war has been brought home to everybody.

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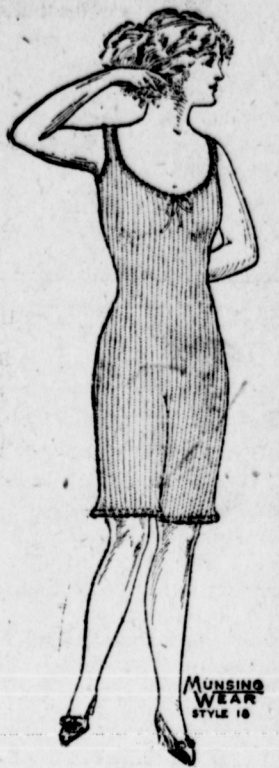
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$\frac{3}{4}$ cup scalded milk
1 cup corn meal
2 tablespoons shortening
 $\frac{1}{2}$ teaspoon salt
1 cup white flour
4 teaspoons Royal Baking Powder

Save $\frac{1}{4}$ cup of the measured flour for board. Pour milk over corn meal, add shortening and salt. When cold, add sifted flour and baking powder. Roll out lightly on floured board. Cut with biscuit cutter and bake in greased pan fifteen to twenty minutes.

Our new Red, White and Blue booklet, "Best War Time Recipes," containing many other recipes for making delicious and wholesome wheat saving foods, mailed free—address

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Prices run from 15c to \$2.00 per pair.

When in need of hosiery, think of us, and remember that it pays to trade with a house that saves you money.

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Mrs. J. Frank Bruner is visiting her home folks at Whitesville for a few days.

Bring me your junk and get your Feed, Fertilizer, Seeds and Farm Implements from

D. L. D. SANDEFUR,
20-3t Beaver Dam, Ky.

Mr. R. L. McFarland, former Superintendent of Daviess County schools, was here Friday in interest of the Western Kentucky State Normal.

There is a great demand for graduates of Prof. Wilbur R. Smith, Lexington, Kentucky, at fine salaries. Read his ad and write for particulars.

Wanted-- Middle-aged woman to superintend small hotel. Must work for part of profits.

Address Dr. L. B. BEAN,
19-1t Hartford, Ky.

Be sure to send your order for anything in Lumber, Doors, Sash, columns, and Millwork to Fordsville Planing Mill Company, Fordsville, Ky.

For Sale--A high bred and good work animal. Also 50 acres timber and coal land. 150 bu. of corn.

W. B. CHINN,
21-3t Beaver Dam R. 1.

Dr. E. W. Ford and daughter, Miss Ambe, motored over from Hartford to see Miss Nancy Ford, this week--Greenville Correspondent, Muhlenburg Argus.

The little son of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Bartlett, Jr., died Monday in Bowling Green and was buried at Barnett's Creek. Mr. Bartlett is a well-known Ohio County teacher.

Mr. Jesse Fulkerson, of Rockport, who was sentenced to the penitentiary for 10 years for killing Harrison Maddox, during the possum-hunter trouble five years ago, has been paroled.

Miss Margaret DeWitt left Saturday for Little Rock, Ark., where her father, Major DeWitt, is stationed at Camp Pike. Miss DeWitt is very popular and her many friends regret to see her leave.

In the case of Jim Taylor, of Beaver Dam, charged with having in his possession spirituous liquor for the purpose of sale, the jury returned a verdict of guilty, fining him \$100.00 and giving him ten days in jail.

Eyes tested, glasses and frames fitted the best way, and guaranteed at before-the-war prices. Why pay more? No charge for testing.

J. B. TAPPAN,
18-4t Jeweler & Optician.

Miss Bessie M. Gillespie, of Louisville, is here on a short visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Gillespie. Miss Gillespie is soon to graduate from the Jewish Hospital and will accept a position as head nurse at the same Hospital.

Among those who called Thursday and renewed their allegiance to Herald, were: Miss Mary Rowe, Hartford, J. W. Parks, Route 3, W. V. Tinsley, Route 7, B. J. Taylor, Route 2, and on Wednesday: J. K. Tinsley, Route 3, and Jesse Daniel, Route 2.

MALE HELP WANTED--Experienced mine bookkeeper at Render, Ohio County, Kentucky. State experience, references and salary expected.

RENDER COAL COMPANY,
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19-1t Louisville, Ky.

Mr. John H. Tweddell, of Horton, was in Hartford Friday. Mr. Tweddell reports that the rain has done considerable damage to the crops in his section. Some farmers who, because of the late season, had been forced to replant their corn, will now have to plant it again.

Prof. J. Carson Gary, of Horse Branch, reports that he enjoyed a short visit in town during the latter part of Commencement exercises at the school Auditorium. He also informs us that preparations in his community for the production of food supplies are being made.

Miss Frank Benton, of Rockport, Ky., was the guest of honor at a card party in Nashville Monday night, of which Miss Benton's cousin, Mrs. John Burke, was host. Sixteen guests were present, and after a card game in which prizes were awarded, there was a dance and a buffet supper.

Miss Benton will be Mrs. Burke's guest for ten days longer says the Nashville, Tenn., Correspondent of Sunday's Courier-Journal.

Messrs. Chas. L. Dever and E. W. Dever, of Olaton, were callers at the Herald office Tuesday.

Mr. R. B. Thomson, traveling salesman for Kentucky Clothing Company, called at the Herald office Saturday.

The Red Cross campaign made a fine showing at Beaver Dam when the business men and ladies started off by raising over \$500.00.

Brick Restaurant for rent on Main Street. Good location, and the 4th of July Fair will soon be here and the big September Fair, too.

21-1t J. C. ILER.

Only one marriage license has been issued from the County Clerk's office since last Wednesday, and that was to Cicero Rains, Renfrow, and Maude Willoughby, Bannock.

John Allen Wilson, son of Judge John B. Wilson, left Friday for Hazard, Ky., where he will assist in doing some survey work for the John B. Allen construction Co.

Messrs. W. E. Travis and B. H. Rummage, Beaver Dam, R. M. Pate and G. W. Vincent, Centertown, and Elbert Hazelwood, Olaton, were among the Herald's callers Monday.

Rev. L. B. Harrah, of Caneyville, Kentucky, passed thro Hartford Monday from Bada where he filled his appointment at the Beulah church last Sunday. Rev. Harrah will preach at the Hartford Cumberland Presbyterian church the third Sunday night in June. It is hoped he will have a splendid congregation at this appointment.

Mr. and Mrs. Tice Burns left yesterday for their home at Owensboro after spending the winter here, where Mr. Burns was manager of the S. T. Burns & Sons tobacco house. Mr. Burns paid out thousands of dollars to the farmers of Ohio county for the weed the past season, and his firm paid the top prices for the tobacco they bought.

Mrs. Pearl Yeiser has resigned as operator at the Cumberland Telephone Exchange. She had been connected with the Exchange 7 years, being chief operator for the last 3 years. Mrs. Yeiser was an efficient and capable operator, and the patrons of the telephone company here regret to see her give up the work, but wish for her much success in her new line of endeavor. Mrs. Kate Hedrick has succeeded Mrs. Yeiser as day operator and Miss Hilda Baird has accepted the position of night operator for the company.

NOTICE:

On account of affairs, the farmers being busy in their crops, we feel it necessary to close the A. C. A. Tobacco Warehouse, June 1. We will stop receiving tobacco then. If any one should be so unfortunate as to fail to get in by said date, they will be requested to haul it to the house at Owensboro.

J. R. WELLER,
Grader.

IGLEHEART HELD TO GRAND JURY.

Ohio County Court convened Monday, May 20. A number of cases were set for hearing. Among them was the case of Henry Igleheart, of Centertown, who shot Carl Ashly and Ernie Barnes. He stood examining trial before Judge Cook and was held over to the Grand Jury.

Guilty Conscience Not Always Cause for Sleeplessness

The old saying that it is a guilty conscience that keeps us from sleeping is not always true. Most times it is due to our system being all clogged up with poisons, as is the case this time of year when we have been stuffing ourselves with heavy foods and our liver, kidneys and bowels are all clogged up with impurities. This condition effects our nervous system and we therefore can't sleep.

Miss Valarie Cochran, professional nurse of Nashville, Tenn., said that while she was always skeptical about proprietary remedies, she was so troubled with sleeplessness that nothing the doctors could give her would seem to do her any good till she took Vin Hepatica, the famous vegetable prescription, which so quickly ended her sleeplessness and made her feel so much better that she recommends its use to every one who can not sleep well. Come in and get a bottle and soon be sleeping like a baby.

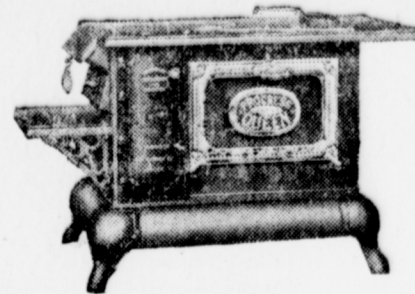
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Catarrh of Throat

Miss Amalie Ruzicka, 1449 South 16th St., Omaha, Nebraska, writes: "I have suffered with catarrh of the throat. I caught cold and it settled in my throat, and I coughed badly and was very weak. I had two doctors, and had taken so many different medicines and found no help. I thought I will have to give up; but at last my mother read about Peruna, so I thought of trying that great medicine Peruna. I got a bottle of it and in about four days I almost stopped coughing, and after a while I surely found relief, and from that time we are not without Peruna in our home."

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Notice, Stock Men!

That splendid young Jack, Black Sam, will make the present season at my barn, one mile south of Centertown, at \$10.00 the season; usual insurance. Black Sam was sired by Major King, he by Silver King, he by Silver Crown, the noted \$8,000 Jack.

I also have a fine stallion in Ben Seville, a registered bay, 16 hands high and a splendid individual. \$10.00 the season with usual insurance. See this stock before breeding,

15-1t **HERBERT C. WARD.**

OHIO COUNTY MAN DIES.

Mr. Charles Phipps, a former citizen of Ohio County, died in Evansville of a complication of diseases last week. Mr. Phipps was 54 years of age and is survived by one sister, Mrs. Sam Midkiff, of Buford, and two children, Mr. Percy Phipps, of Hawesville, and Mrs. Obe Helm, of Buford. Funeral services were conducted by Rev. E. E. Fuqua.

MARRIED IN JEFFERSONVILLE, IND.

We find from the Courier-Journal that Mr. William H. Martin and Miss Magdalena Stewart, both of Ohio County, were married in Jeffersonville, Ind., last week.

MARRIAGES AND DIVORCES.

During the year 1916. There were 206 marriages license issued and 21 divorces granted in Ohio County. Information prepared for Department of Commerce, Bureau of Census.

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LOCAL NEWS AND PERSONAL POINTS

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Capt. John G. Keown visited his family here last week.

Mrs. Roy E. Keown visited friends at Fordsville last week.

Mr. W. V. Matthews of Fordsville, was in Hartford Monday on business.

Mr. W. S. Ambrose, of the Concord neighborhood, was in town Monday.

Miss Bessie Marlowe, of Fordsville, is visiting her uncle, Dr. E. W. Ford here.

Mr. Ray Hawkins, a soldier at Camp Taylor, is visiting in Ohio County.

Miss Jessie Allen, of New Baymus, spent a week here visiting Mr. W. H. Foreman.

FOR SALE--250 bushels of corn. F. L. Felix, Hartford Ky.

Mr. Roy Gary, of Horse Branch, was a caller at the Herald office Thursday.

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Mr. Amos Carson, manager of the Hub Clothing Co., spent Sunday in Louisville.

Mr. Walter Foster, of Route 7, was a pleasant caller at the Herald office Saturday.

We are now selling 48lb. paper bags for sacking country hams. W. E. Ellis & Bros. 14-1t

G. W. Bennett, of Island, spent Sunday with his parents here.

Mrs. James H. Williams left this morning for Chicago to spend a few days.

Mr. James D. Ford has gone to Springfield, Ohio, where he will accept a position.

Misses Ella Woosley and Monnie Godsey, of Narrows, were in Hartford last Saturday.

Dr. E. B. Pendleton went to Louisville Tuesday to attend the meeting of a medical society.

Mr. J. C. Bennett and wife, of Kronos, have moved to Hartford to make their home here.

Mrs. E. W. Cooper, and daughter, of Nashville, Tenn., are visiting her mother, Mrs. N. Barnett.

Rev. Walter Greep will preach at the Christian Church, Hartford, Wednesday night, May 29th.

Miss Mary Barrett, of Barrett's Ferry, spent part of last week with her uncle, Mr. W. H. Foreman.

Misses Carmon Bell and Blanch Park, of Beaver Dam, spent last week-end with Miss Edna Black.

Come in and look through our catalog and buy goods at wholesale plus 5per cent.

ILER'S Grocery.

Ex-senator Alvis S. Bennett, of Louisville who had been spending a few days with relatives here returned Monday.

Some Sale! For the rest of the season I will sell my E. B. Thompson Eggs for half price--\$1.00 for 15. J. C. ILER.

Miss Hildred Barnard, spent Saturday night and Sunday with a friend, Miss Mamie L. Porter, of Horton.

Miss Orpha Bell, of Mantanzas, attended the Commencement exercises in Hartford last week, the guest of sheriff and Mrs. S. A. Bratcher.

Mr. Trimble Pendleton and family, of Turtle Creek, Penn., arrived last week for a few days visit to Mr. Pendleton's father, Dr. E. B. Pendleton.

THREAT MADE TO RAID NEW YORK TO DENTIST

Dr. Davis Says Officers Boasted
of Machines Which Could
Fly to America.

New York, May 10.—"High officials of the German army boasted to me at grand headquarters that their chemists had discovered a new and terribly deadly gas, with which they expected to kill a million people in the city of London.

"This gas, to be dropped from bombs carried by huge airplanes, each equipped with six motors, would penetrate into the deepest cellars and subways, they said.

"These same high officials boasted to me that the airplanes of which they spoke would be capable of flying to New York and return. They bragged, too, of super-submarines which could easily come here and attack us, and it was plain, from the way they talked, that they were endeavoring to give me the impression that these air and under water machines some day would come to New York."

Kaiser's View of United States.
Dr. A. N. Davis, long Kaiser Wilhelm's personal dentist, who recently returned from Germany, told these things to an audience which filled Carnegie Hall at a Liberty Loan rally. It was Dr. Davis' first speech since his return.

"I said to the Kaiser on one occasion at grand headquarters, 'You are under estimating the power of the United States.' The Kaiser replied: 'I underestimate nobody, sir!'

"Many people have asked me, since my return, why I didn't do something to the Kaiser when I was so close to him. Well, for one thing, I wanted to return to America with my head on my shoulders. Again, I felt that the German people themselves would in time attend to him."

Since the assassination of the King of Portugal and a close relative some years ago, the Kaiser and the German Crown Prince have never appeared together in public. Dr. Davis said, lest an assassination might deprive Germany of both of them at once.

The dentist said he knew that the Kaiser wanted to start this war over the Moroccan trouble in 1905, and tried again to work up a war in 1911. So he gladly seized the Serbian episode of 1914 as an excuse.

What Enemy Understands.

"Germany has no sense of honor. The only thing she can understand is force, and it is up to us to apply to her all the force we can summon," Dr. Davis continued.

"I'd advise the United States to send all its pro-German sympathizers back to Germany and in three days, under present conditions, they'd be begging to return and become patriotic Americans. The conditions in Germany are terrible. They are using substitutes for bread, eggs and coffee.

"They have made one of the gravest mistakes in not analyzing our psychology. Some of them really believed that we would seize Mexico and Canada at the beginning of the war, instead of coming in on the side of the entente. They do not realize that the more they attempt to terrorize and harass us the harder we'll fight them."

OUTFITTING 1000 HOSPITAL BEDS IN THREE HOURS.

Out of the ever-changing death struggle on the plains of Picardy, with its promise of victory, its spectre of defeat, one thing stands forth unchangeable day by day—the duty of the Red Cross.

Behind the bloodstained battle lines, misery is again on the road. As in nineteen fourteen, the refugees—old men, women, and children—carry the helpless on shutters; the bird cage and the improvised cradle make their appearance on the muddy roads; the trains are loaded with the wounded. In Paris, civilians lie crushed beneath the ruins caused by air raids and bombardment, while the railway stations are crowded with the fleeing refugees from northern France. It might be nineteen fourteen over again.

Only this time there is a difference. So far as military relief is concerned, the same efficiency is observable. A single illustration, indeed, can demonstrate the difference between nineteen fourteen and nineteen eighteen where the wounded soldier is concerned. In three hours, recently, all the splints, accessories, instruments and surgical dressings required for a hospital of one thousand beds were assembled and dispatched from Paris.

To those of us who are left behind, these facts have become vital. America is in the war at last—a hundred thousand strong.

THE DEVIL RESIGNS.

The Devil sat by a lake of fire
On a pile of sulphur kegs,
His head was bowed upon his breast,
His tail between his legs;

A look of shame was on his face,
The sparks dripped from his eyes,
He had sent his resignation
To the Throne up in the skies.

"I am down and out," the Devil said,
He said it with a sob.

"There are others that outclass me,
And I want to quit the job.
Hell ain't in it with the land
That lies along the Rhine,

I'm a has-been and a piker,
And therefore I resign.
One ammunition maker
With his bloody shot and shell,

Knows more about damnation
Than all the imps of hell.
Give my job to Kaiser William
The author of this war,

He understands it better,
A million times by far;
I hate to leave the old home,
The spot I love so well,

But I feel that I'm not up to date
In the art of running HELL."

URGES GARDEN PLANTING.

The following letter was received by Mr. W. W. Browder, County Agricultural Agent, from Dr. Fred Mutchler, State Director of Agricultural Extension Work:

"Let there be no slacking in pushing the planting of gardens in country, town or city. People are likely to think that it is too late for planting. This is not the case. Urge everybody to plant and keep on planting for quite a while. Food must be shipped for our Allies, and corn, peas, beans, potatoes, carrots, beets, turnips, cabbage, etc., will help to do it. Let us grow food to the limit in order to win the war, without regard as to whether or not we will gain in money. We shall gain the undisputed privilege of living in a free country, which privilege we cannot buy with money. Every man, woman and child shall do his full duty at home, just as he who goes to the front does his full duty."

We wish to supplement this by saying that there are many farmers in Ohio County who are neglecting the planting of food crops and are devoting all their time to tobacco and other so-called "ready-money" crops. We would not minimize the value of tobacco, both to the folks at home and to our boys "over there," nor would we suggest any great curtailment in its production; but we do believe it should be relegated to a place of secondary importance, in view of the urgent necessity for foodstuffs. We have dedicated ourselves to a great purpose and to win this war will require every ounce of our energy. The hoe will do as much, or more toward winning the war as the bayonet. While the boys go "over the top" in France, let us "dig in" here at home.

CORPS NEEDS EXPERIENCED NEWS PHOTOGRAPHERS.

A number of high-grade news photographers are urgently needed by the Signal Corps. These men must have expert experience in the handling of speed cameras such as Graflex, Graphic, and also understand speeds of lenses and various makes of cameras and operation of same. Only those men who can furnish references as to their actual experience as news photographers will receive consideration.

The men selected for this branch of the service will be sent to a school for military training. Upon completion of the training they will be promoted to grades of sergeant, first class, and will be ordered overseas in a short time. Applicants must be citizens of the United States between the ages of 21 and 31. All communications should be addressed to Air Division, Training Section, Photographic Branch, Washington, D. C.

GOD-WILL-COME-BACK.

Humanity can not permanently continue a schedule of ruin. All diseases run their course. God has not forsaken the moral government of the world. You can not bury forever the son of God; take him to your halls of learning and pass sentence upon him there; you may crucify him afresh, and put him to an open shame on the Golgotha of your assured scholarship; you may lay him away in your sepulchre of philosophy and doubt—God's angels will roll away the stone from his tomb, and he will come forth again in majesty and glory, and be King of kings and Lord of lords.

Some glad day the kingdoms that now feast on blood will come under the reign of Christ's love, and men will brothers be the world over. The so-called divine right of one man to tyrannize over the many shall yield the scepter, and the idols of the Hun will lie face downward in the dust. The yearning soul-hunger of the

race, which rationalists, materialists and militarists can not satisfy, which is constantly growing in the minds of men, will feed once more upon the bread of life. Roses will bloom in the track of war, the dove of peace nest in the cannon's mouth, and the nations will learn war no more. God's word shall not return unto him void; it shall accomplish that whereunto he hath sent it. God will not fail or become discouraged, though the kings of earth do set themselves and the people imagine a vain thing.

To this end we must thrust the shield of faith and love between the weak and strong, and follow duty for Christ's sake and service for its own reward, with no passion but for right, no hatred but for wrong. In a time like this

Give us men of faith and prayer,
Who can stand in the dark, on the lowest stair,
And assert of God, is certainly there.

BIG CRANE HOISTS

HEAVY LOADS.

For placing turrets, guns, and boilers aboard warships in dry dock at Balboa, Canal Zone, a 500-ton locomotive crane is employed. It is described in an illustrated article in the June Popular Mechanics Magazine. This is supposed to be one of the largest hoists of its kind that has ever been built for handling heavy machinery. It has been in operation a comparatively short time and since our entrance into the world war has proved to be valuable equipment. It is constructed with a box-grider underframe that rests on eight two-wheel trucks and supports the revolving table carrying the jib, counterweight, hoists, boiler, and cab. The crane is provided with three separate hoists, the chief of which is rated to handle 50 gross tons at a maximum radius of 87 feet.

CANNED FRUIT JUICE FOR WINTER SAUCES.

The June Woman's Home Companion prints this recipe:

"Juices extracted from fresh fruits may be bottled, sterilized, and kept as any canned fruit. Glass jars, or ginger ale or other left-over bottles with small tops that are not usable for other purposes may be utilized for this.

"Extract the juice from fruit, either with a cider press or by cooking. Strain through cheesecloth, add sugar to taste if desired, heat to boiling point, pour into hot bottles, and lightly plug with absorbent cotton. Set bottles in boiling water up to neck of bottle, and sterilize at a temperature of 165 degrees F. for forty minutes. Remove bottles from water, plug with stoppers and when cool dip stoppers in melted paraffin."

PAYS EMPLOYEES TO EXERCISE DAILY.

For the past six months the office employees of a large manufacturing concern have been paid to exercise an hour a day, says the June Popular Mechanics Magazine. The company feels that the best possible physical conditions of its men is so desirable that it has fitted up a gymnasium for them and placed an experienced physical instructor in charge. Executives, superintendents, managers, and others, are all urged to spend one hour of the company's time each day in the gymnasium.

FARM IMPLEMENTS IN- TEGRAL WITH TRACTOR.

Among the new farm tractors one shown in the June Popular Mechanics is so arranged that implements used with it are essentially integral parts of the machine when in place. The engine is mounted rearward and the fore part of the frame shaped like an inverted "U." This permits a steel box with hinged ends and double-wagon capacity to be underslung. By removing the latter a specially built binder may be coupled in position. The operation of the cutting knives is independent of that of the tractor so that their speed may be increased, and the progress of the machine retarded, when fallen or heavy grain is encountered.

FOURTEEN DEATHS IN TWO STATES TOLL OF TORNADO.

Chicago.—Fourteen deaths, seven in Iowa and seven in Illinois, and a property loss estimated at more than \$1,000,000, was the toll taken by yesterday's tornado which swept through Iowa and Illinois. Approximately 150 persons were more or less seriously injured.

It is reported that half of the town of Calmar, Ia., was practically leveled, killing four persons.

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SELL CHICKENS GRADUALLY.

Don't glut the market with chickens, live or dressed, soon after May 1, when the Federal "closed season" on hens ends. This advice to farmers is given by the United States Department of Agriculture.

"Too many fowls on the market may result in food losses," says the department. Poultry stock should be sold gradually. Farmers will have better markets if they avoid glutting them.

No grain should be allowed to become dead ripe before cutting, because of the tendency to shatter when in that condition.

Cold, damp, poorly lighted and ventilated poultry quarters favor the spread of such diseases as roup. Such contagious diseases as these are difficult and sometimes impossible to control unless given attention in the early stages. Wherever preventive measures fail, separate sick birds from the flock as soon as there is evidence of disease, and then consult expert advice to effect a cure.

GERMANS FEATURE AMERICAN LOSSES.

Amsterdam.—The suspicious frequency with which American losses are being featured in the German official reports, as well as in semi-official and inspired commentaries indicates a departure from the policy of concealment regarding the Americans. The German people can no longer be fooled into believing that no large bodies of American troops are in France, or that Americans are no good for fighting.

Although the German people still do not dream of the real size of the American Army, they know that American troops are in action at many points on the western front. Since concealment is no longer possible, the German official reports and inspired military comment are now used systematically to spread a subtle propaganda throughout America by frequent references to "heavy American losses," as it is known that the German reports are printed verbatim by the American press. It is hoped by this means that in the long run American war enthusiasm may be dampened.

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"NO EIGHT HOUR DAY IN WAR WORK"

Declared Lexington Postmaster in Telling Rural Mail Carriers They Must "Go to It" in War Savings Campaign.

KY. POSTMASTERS AROUSE GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEES

Central Accounting Postmasters throughout Kentucky have been holding meetings of District Postmasters and Rural Carriers the past week for the purpose of arousing them to the demands upon them by the Federal Government, through the Post Office Department at Washington, that every one get actively in the great campaign now going on all over the country to teach the lesson of Thrift and promote the sale of Thrift Stamps and War Savings Stamps among the people they serve in their several communities. In not a single instance has a Postmaster ignored the call of State Director James B. Brown for such meetings, and every meeting has been largely attended and will be productive of good results.

Postmaster Moses Kaufman, of Lexington, who has actively co-operated with County Chairman John Skain in his every plan of campaign, told his associates and employees of the Post Office Department in Fayette county that there is no eight-hour day in war work, and that they must go to it at all hours, leaving the road side mail box in the rural districts to call at the doorstep of the persons on his route and see that they either bought War Stamps or gave a good and sufficient reason why they could not do so.

"Do you really think that the American soldiers who are at this minute holding the line in France are holding out for an eight-hour day? Alright then, go to it, and give overtime to your menaced country and sell these stamps."

This is how Postmaster Kaufman went at the rural mail carriers at a meeting of the carriers, which was called to put new ginger into the sales of War Savings Stamps. The rural mail carriers, Mr. Kaufman explained, had fallen behind the city carriers in results.

"Now you men in the country should see every man, woman and child on your route. Put the mail in the box on the road, and then take the time to drive up to the man's house, and insist on a hearing. Don't let personal rebuffs bother you. Just remind yourself that it is your country and not you that is receiving the rebuff."

"Say to the men who refuse to buy: 'What right have you to stay at home in ease and comfort, while other Americans are dying in France? Why has the government a right to call on one man to die, if it has not an equal right to ask you to lend your money?'"

"Tell him that he is the sort of man that will make it possible for that heroic line in France to break before the Hun assault. Put it up to him that it will be his fault if the war is lost."

John Skain, the county chairman of the War Savings Stamp campaign, spoke and suggested yet another argument.

"Tell the man who will not buy that the government will get his money another way if he will not lend it to a government which is willing to pay a generous interest. There are, I know, men of wealth on your routes, who have so far refused to buy. Tell those men that the assessment boards of the county know their wealth, and that they are driving their government to resort to taxation. They are not going to get away without putting up some money for this war."

A COMPARISON OF INTEREST.

A great deal of speculation and discussion have arisen in connection with the comparative interest returns of the War Savings Stamps and the bonds of the Third Liberty Loan. Now that the Treasury Department has announced that the interest rate on the new bonds is 4 1/4% a comparison can be made.

A War Savings Stamp bought January 1, 1918, if held until maturity, January 1, 1923, pays a total interest of eighty-eight cents, or seventeen and 6-10 cents per annum. This is equivalent to a rate of 4.27% per annum. The interest rate increases each month this year until in December the return develops as follows: That month the stamp costs \$4.23 and has four years until maturity. The total interest received, if held until maturity, is seventy-seven cents. For one year it amounts to nineteen and one-quarter cents, which is at the rate of 4.55% per annum.

The Third Liberty Loan bonds will not be convertible into subsequent issues, so you can assure the public that the purchaser of War Savings Stamps is not discriminated against in the new bond issue.

I quote the following from Secretary McAdoo: "In the coming Liberty Loan drive," said the Secretary, "the War Savings organizations should continue their efforts in the formation of War Savings societies, educational work in the schools, and general thrift propaganda. There are persons who are unable to buy Liberty Loan bonds and all these persons should be urged to buy War Savings Stamps."

You will note from this our campaign is not to slacken. Let our slogan be:

Liberty Loan Bonds for the fellow who can buy them, and War Savings Stamps for everybody.

NAVY DEPARTMENT COMMENDS BOATSWAIN.

Many members of the United States Army and Navy are being commended for bravery in action or in emergencies. A typical case is that of John Mackenzie, chief boatswain's mate, of the Naval Reserve Force, described in a Navy Department statement:

The case is unique in that it has to do with one of the latest engines of war. As is well known, United States destroyers and other submarines carry depth charges containing a large amount of high explosives which are dropped in the path of enemy submarines and explode under water. These have proved effective weapons in the destruction of U-boats, and they are safe enough when the safety pins are affixed; but when they get beyond control and the safety pin comes out they are a source of serious danger to the vessels carrying them. It will be recalled that the men on the U. S. S. Manley who lost their lives in the collision of that destroyer with a British vessel were killed by the explosion of one of these bombs.

In a heavy gale on the morning of December 17, 1917, a depth charge on the Remlik broke loose from its position on the stern. The box went overboard, but the charge was hurled in the opposite direction and went bouncing about the deck. As it weighs hundreds of pounds it was impossible for anyone to lift the bomb and carry it to safety. It was even dangerous for anyone to go to that part of the ship, as the seas were washing over the stern. As the officers and crew watched the bomb some one shouted: "The pin's come out." Realizing the danger, Mackenzie, exclaiming, "Watch me; I'll get it," dashed down the deck and flung himself upon the charging cylinder. Three times he almost had his arms about the bomb, but each time it tore from him, once almost crushing him. The fourth time he got a firm grip on it and heaved it upright on one flat end. Then he sat on it and held it down. The charge might have broken loose again and exploded at any moment, blowing Mackenzie to bits, but he held on firmly until lines could be run to him and man and bomb safely landed. Soon afterwards the ship was headed up into the sea and the charge carried to a place of safety.

The commanding officer of the Remlik, in his report recommending that the medal of honor be conferred on Mackenzie, says:

"Mackenzie, in acting as he did, exposed his life and prevented a serious accident to the ship and probable loss of the ship and entire crew. Had this depth charge exploded on the quarter-deck with the sea and wind that existed at the time there is no doubt that the ship would have been lost."

REBUILDING THE WAR CRIPPLE.

New and ingenious appliances have been contrived, some of the best of these by the war cripples themselves, to enable the one-armed man to handle tools. At the vocational school at Montpellier, France, a grip has been designed which holds a tool in any desired position. A simpler modification of this permits a workman to hold a tool in the three positions in which the screw-driver, hammer and file respectively are held. In order that a one-armed turner may drill a hole, there is a socket fitted with springs by means of which the handle of the tool may be firmly grasped. By the invention of a special gauntlet for the use of men with musculo-spinal paralysis, one carpenter was enabled to go back to his trade and two men who were studying designing could use their instruments as handily as uninjured men.

Often however an arm-stump can be so strengthened that the workman lays his complicated artificial arm aside, getting along better with what natural strength and skill remains to him. Men who have lost their right arm are taught to use their left. In certain German schools a four or five week's course in training the left hand is given them before they are permitted to enter a trade-course. The teachers in such classes are themselves one-armed and the instruction includes dressing, feeding, shaving, writing, drawing, the use of simple tools, gymnastics and sports. One expert recommends that judges be engaged to assist in teaching the one-handed.

TRAINED WORKERS NEEDED.

The civilian branches of the Army and Navy are in need of thousands of highly trained workers, and before the end of 1918 these branches must be increased by at least 20,000, according to the Civil Service Commission.

The Ordnance Department of the

Army needs large numbers of mechanical engineers, draftsmen, chemists, and metallurgists. Thousands of inspectors are wanted to pass on the quality of ordnance, ammunition, and other supplies. For office work statisticians, accountants, assistants in business administration, and specially trained clerks are needed.

The Quartermaster Corps wants several thousand examiners and inspectors, and passenger and freight clerks are needed. The Signal Corps is short of draftsmen.

The Navy has an unlimited number of places for draftsmen, and a long list of positions for technical workers. Practically all branches of the service need stenographers, typists, bookkeepers, and clerks.

KEEP HENS FOR CHEAP EGGS.

The best opportunity for cheap eggs for city families during the war, says a recent publication of the United States Department of Agriculture, lies in keeping enough hens in the backyard, where they can be supported principally on kitchen wastes, to supply the family table. The keeping of hens in backyards is described as being an economic opportunity for city families and at the same time an essential part of the campaign for increasing poultry production.

The smallest and least favorably situated backyard, says the department, offers opportunity to keep at least enough hens to supply eggs for the household. The number of hens needed for that purpose is twice the number of persons to be supplied. Hence, the smallest flock to be considered consists of 4 hens. Where hens are kept only to furnish eggs for the table no male bird is needed.

A coop for a flock of 4 hens should have a floor area of about 20 square feet, or about 5 feet per hen. For larger flocks the space allowed per bird may be a little less, because the space is used in common, and each bird has the use of all the coop except what her companions actually occupy. For the ordinary flock of 10 to 15 hens the space allowed should be about 4 square feet per hen.

Purity and abundance are the two essentials of water supply. Wells and springs are the usual sources of farm water, but both may easily be contaminated, and the vicinity should therefore be inspected for possible sources of pollution.

THE Y. M. C. A. ON

THE BATTLE FRONT.

In their fight against the Kaiser, American soldier boys under shell fire in France are being given all possible comforts and assistance, according to an announcement just received here from the National War Work Council of the Y. M. C. A. At the present time there are more than 250 American Y. M. C. A. secretaries under shell fire. These men have been with Pershing's troops from the time they landed on foreign soil.

A total of \$5,000,000 is being expended monthly by the Army Y. M. C. A. in its work for the American troops at home and abroad. There are 2,500 Y. M. C. A. workers in France and England and 3,000 in American camps.

Because of the increasing need for men in this service and the force necessary to operate the entire canteen system in France, efforts are being made to enroll at least 1,000 more business and professional men of high standing who are willing to go to France for every kind of Y. M. C. A. service before July 1.

It is estimated that 8,000,000 feet of film are being exhibited weekly to the soldiers at home and abroad. A recent shipment of athletic equipment for the troops in France consisted of 79,680 baseballs, 19,000 bats 10,000 gloves and mitts, boxing gloves, volley balls, and various other kinds of apparatus for promoting the play spirit among the troops in their leisure hours.

The Y. M. C. A. has established a chain of huts and dugouts along the front lines occupied by American troops "over there" and is meeting the needs of the Sammies as they take their places alongside their Allies. The Y. M. C. A. huts on the Russian front have been demolished by German guns and the 150 secretaries there have retired before the advance of the Huns and are now established in Siberia awaiting an opportunity to return to Russia.

"GOD FORBID." —PASTOR

Madisonville, Ky.—Ruby Laffoon, one of Madisonville's leading lawyers, in making his appeal at a Liberty loan meeting and in urging his hearers to save, said:

"We must conserve; the women must wear less clothes."

M. E. Staley, pastor of the First Baptist church, of Madisonville, in a deep, solemn voice replied:

"God forbid!"

ORCHARD AND GARDEN NOTES.

Currants and gooseberries may be set out this spring. A few plants of a good red variety will well repay the effort of their care.

Plant at least a half-dozen new perennials in the border this year. Pick them out now and get the seed or be ready to order the plants.

Don't be sparing of manure on the garden. We expect large crops from a small area and hence must supply plenty of plant food which may be quickly made use of by plants.

It will do no harm to try a few new things this year. They are interesting and may be valuable. Don't make the new things a too important part of the garden.

Place plenty of broken pottery, stones, or charcoal in the bottom of the pot or box in which seed is sown. Good drainage is needed in the seed-box as well as for the growing plant.

Watch the hotbeds carefully on bright warm mornings. It does not take long for the heat to run up high enough to injure the plants. Stocky plants can be obtained only by giving the best of attention to watering and ventilation.

Indications now are that the garden will be well worth some extra care and attention this year. Better get plenty of good seed early and be ready to plant as soon as possible. Plan for a good variety of vegetables the season through, from radishes to celery. Don't leave out the melons.

BAKER WANTS ARMY

OF 5,000,000.

Washington.—Secretary of War Baker at a confidential hearing before the House Military Committee asked for unlimited power for the creation of an army of whatever is necessary for the successful prosecution of the war.

Under the construction existing of the draft law only 1,000,000 men can be used.

The pending bill would authorize the draft of a total of 4,000,000 men, which, with volunteers already in service, would give an ultimate possible maximum of 5,000,000.

Baker told the committee he is studying the subject of increasing the draft age, but is undecided.

All over the state the boys are naming their pigs. Many use names relative to the war as "War Baby," "Liberty Bond," "Thrift Stamp," "America," "Uncle Sam," etc., and the owners of these pigs expect to make them do their part. For instance, a number of the hogs will be sold and the money turned into a Liberty Bond. It is a good plan to make your pig a fighter by buying a Liberty Bond with him.

If efforts were made to dispose of all hens when their best laying days were over, a large quantity of poultry meat would be placed on the market. All poorly developed chickens should be culled out and sold for meat also. This would allow the poultry keeper to make the best of his grain by feeding it to younger and more productive fowls.

If the chickens must be confined on account of bad weather, provide a good straw litter in which their grain feed may be scattered. This will give them exercise and keep them interested and healthy. When chickens that have been accustomed to free range are closely confined, this frequently checks their development for the time being unless they are made contented in their new quarters. Provide green feed for them also.

"What did his father die of, you say?"

"Throat trouble."

"Throat trouble?"

"Yes—he was hanged."

A Soldier's Strength

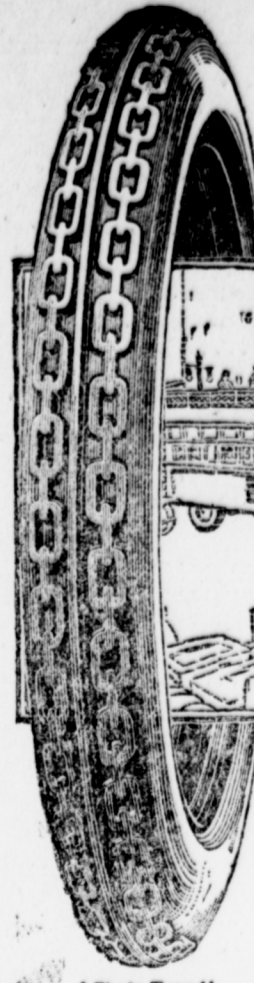
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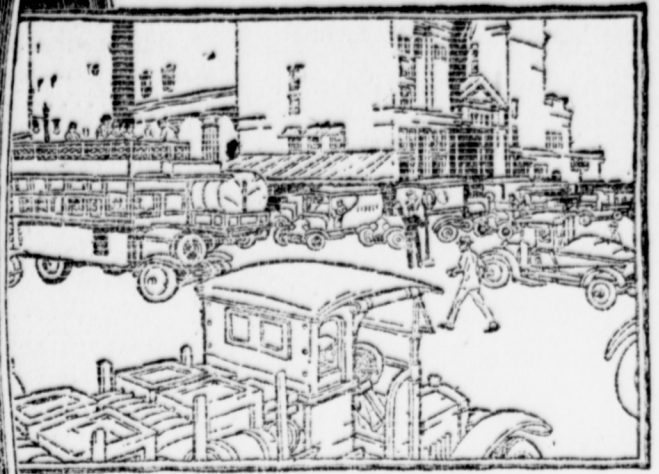
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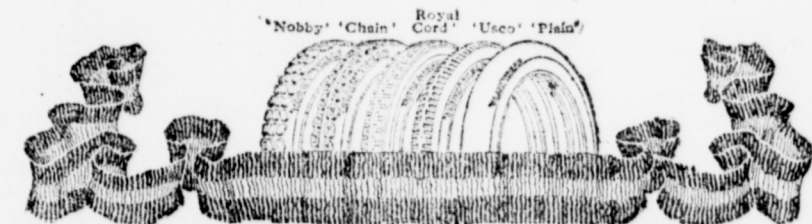
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1918.

East Hartford.	
J. W. Ford,	\$28,355
Henry Pirtle,	8,198
R. E. L. Simmerman,	6,702
West Hartford.	
Mrs. Jeannette Felix,	\$22,425
F. L. Felix,	19,575
Mrs. J. A. Caldwell,	9,450
Sulphur Springs.	
Mark Renfrow,	\$10,250
Albert Cox,	8,856
J. B. Mitchell,	7,672
Magan.	
J. H. Miller,	\$4,471
A. Whitehouse,	2,910
W. A. Taul,	2,738
Cromwell.	
J. N. Leach,	\$6,735
B. F. Flener,	6,277
J. J. Stewart,	5,871
Cool Springs.	
W. M. Brown,	\$27,989
G. W. Canfield,	9,333
J. W. Bowles,	4,938
South Rockport.	
Phil R. Robinson,	\$6,760
Eva B. Johnson,	5,236
P. S. Coleman,	4,612
Select.	
J. S. James,	\$4,063
H. C. Crowder,	3,577
J. H. Stewart,	3,523
Horse Branch.	
Walker Myrtle,	\$11,867
E. A. White,	6,952
D. T. Wilson,	4,840
East Beaver Dam.	
Harrison Austin,	\$7,035
George A. Barnes,	6,714
R. W. Rander,	6,182
West Beaver Dam.	
J. F. Casebier,	\$8,385
J. W. Baker,	5,338
J. N. Jaragin,	5,073
Centertown.	
P. O. McKinney,	\$8,025
Alvin Rowe,	6,953
J. R. L. Mason,	6,116
Smallhouse.	
W. M. Addington,	\$3,993
George W. Allen,	3,428
J. T. Barnard,	3,399
East Fordsville.	
J. T. Smith,	\$9,603
J. F. Cooper,	6,769
J. D. Cooper,	5,005
Aetna.	
J. A. Bellamy,	\$6,408
C. R. Rhoades,	5,996
Mrs. Martha E. Medcalf,	3,815
Shreve.	
Mrs. T. E. Butler,	\$5,975
Charlie Davison,	3,902
Anderson Davison,	3,880
Olaton.	
M. S. Patterson,	\$8,327
R. L. Arms,	5,939
C. B. E. Felix,	4,941
Buford.	
F. M. Hoover,	\$15,585
A. T. Bell Sr.,	4,502
G. E. Barr,	4,440
Bartlett.	
Jacob Weller,	\$6,763
Allen King,	4,779
Basil Taylor,	3,696
Heflin.	
R. O. Cox,	\$12,305
A. V. Rowan,	4,810
R. A. Rowan,	4,733
Ceralvo.	
C. P. Brown,	\$6,797
J. H. Ward,	4,344
John H. Wood,	2,543
Pt. Pleasant.	
Nat. Lindsey,	\$17,426
J. H. Everly,	5,368
F. O. Coffman,	5,302
Narrows.	
Sam Davison,	\$11,560
H. H. Westerfield,	4,049
J. T. Shults,	3,350
Ralph.	
W. F. Howard,	\$6,615
J. T. Wedding,	4,463
H. W. Ralph,	3,055
Prentiss.	
Sherman Coleman,	\$4,852
E. G. Austin,	3,776
W. H. Barnes,	3,055
Simmons.	
Ella M. Mallam,	\$3,870
C. M. Mallam,	2,299
A. E. Chapman,	1,903
Render.	
J. B. Herndon,	\$1,525
C. R. Bennett,	1,398
Mrs. Simon Jones,	1,300
Colored for County.	
George B. Phipps,	\$2,698
Ben Johnson,	2,243
Frank Render,	825
Beda.	
Lonie Wade,	\$9823.00
M. V. Johnson,	7727.00
John Bell,	6600.00
Number acres of land.	
Raise,	323,379
Total,	7,791
Value of dwellings.	
Raise,	713,812
Total,	12,060
Value of outbuildings and silos.	
Raise,	\$254,767
Total,	\$725,872

Raise,	9,170
Total,	\$363,937
Value of stand-	
ing timber.	
Raise,	123,241
Total,	3,865
Value land exclusive of	
dwellings, outbuildings,	
silos and timber.	
Raise,	2,274,870
Total,	841,055
Total,	
\$3,115,925	
Total value of lands, im-	
provements and timber.	
Raise,	3,466,690
Total,	866,150
Total,	
\$4,332,840	
Number of town lots.	
Raise,	1625
Total,	14
Total,	
1639	
Value of improvements.	
Raise,	554,106
Total,	46,800
Total,	
\$600,906	
Value of lots without	
improvement.	
Raise,	188,488
Total,	20,150
Total,	
\$208,638	
Total value of town lots	
an improvements.	
Raise,	742,594
Total,	66,950
Total,	
\$809,544	
rights and leases.	
owned in fee,	155,473
Raise,	139,993
Total,	42,208
Total,	
\$182,201	
Total value of mineral	
rights and leases.	
Raise,	155,473
Total,	42,208
Total,	
\$197,681	
Total assessed value	
of county,	5,985,827
Raise,	1,300,275
Total,	
\$7,286,102	

4TH OF JULY CELEBRATION.

Arrangements have been completed for a one-day fair at the Ohio County Fair Grounds, Hartford Ky., to be held Thursday, July 4th. This entertainment will consist of sow rings for the exhibition of saddles and harness horses, and speed rings and races on the race track. This will be an entertainment of unusual enjoyment. Come and participate in the festivities of the day. This one day fair will be held under the management of Dr. B. B. Bean, whose renown for holding successful fairs over the county is well known. 21-1f

WHO WANTS A CHILD?

Mr. W. H. Collins, representing the Kentucky children's Home Society, was in Hartford Tuesday. Mr. Collins states that they now have 160 children for whom they would like to find homes. These range from babies to 12 and 14 years of age. These children are orphans and helpless, and deserve good homes. If any one wishes to take one of these children they should write the Kentucky Children's Home Society, Louisville, Ky.

DON'T WANT TO FIGHT.

Louis Copeland, editor of the Appeal to Reason, a Socialist publication at Topeka, Kan., has asked the district appeal board to reconsider its action in placing him in Class I of the draft.—Hopkinsville Daily Kentuckian.

LOAN TOTAL IS OVER 4 BILLION.

Washington, May 17.—The total of the third Liberty Loan is \$4,170,019,650, an oversubscription of 39 per cent, above the three billion minimum sought. The number of subscribers was about 47,000,000.

WHEN PEACE COMES.

Some day peace will come. Thousands—millions of men—will suddenly be thrown back again into civil life. Consider the vastness of the readjustment that will be necessary. Look back at the period of reconstruction after our own Civil War. Prepare for this new period of reconstruction. The day of reckoning is bound to come. Begin to save now. Thrift is the need of the present, the hope of the future. Liberty Loan Bonds, War Savings, the safest securities in the world, are a wise provision for the day peace comes.

AMERICAN AVIATOR BRINGS GERMAN MACHINES DOWN.

Paris.—Sergeant Frank L. Raylies of the "Stork" Escadrille has brought down another German machine, the eighth to his credit since Feb. 19. His home is in New Bedford, Mass., and he formerly served in the American Field Ambulance.

CHAPLAIN FOR EACH 1,000 SOLDIERS.

Washington.—The Senate bill providing for the appointment of army chaplains at the rate of one for each 1,000 men and increasing the age limit from 40 to 45 years was passed by the House to-day.

PLANTS PURIFIERS OF AIR

Their Consumption of Carbonic Acid Gas, Always Going On, Is of Great Benefit.

Plants do not breathe or have any action corresponding to the breathing of animals. Oxygen is essential to the sustaining of life in animals, including human beings, and in breathing air they consume or appropriate the oxygen it contains and give out carbonic acid gas, which is poisonous. Plants do not consume oxygen, but they consume carbonic acid, thus helping to purify the atmosphere, which is to some extent rendered impure by the breathing of animals. They do not generate oxygen, but they release it by consuming the carbonic acid. Tyndall, a celebrated scientist, says: "Consider all the fires in the world and all the animals in the world continually pouring their carbonic acid into the atmosphere. Would it not be fair to conclude that our air must become more and more contaminated and unfit to support either combustion or life? This seems inevitable, but it would be a conclusion founded upon half knowledge, and therefore wrong. A provision exists for continually purifying the atmosphere of its excess of carbonic acid. By the leaves of plants this gas is absorbed, and within the leaves it is decomposed by the solar rays. The carbon is stored up in the tree, while the pure oxygen is restored to the atmosphere. Carbonic acid, in fact, is to a great extent the nutrient of plants, and inasmuch as animals in the long run, derive their food from the vegetable world, this very gas, which at first sight might be regarded as a deadly constituent of the atmosphere, is the main sustainer, both of vegetable and animal life."

FINEST WEATHER IN TROPICS

Climatic So Delightful That the Average Person Would Soon Tire of the Monotony.

The days were wonderful, and the alternations of sun and wind were as exciting as the discovery of the strange Malayan beasts and birds. The sun rose softly—no breeze moved cloud or leaf, and even the light came at first moderately, indirectly, reflected from the higher peaks, or "holographed from the mirror of a half-hidden, distant waterfall. In early afternoon—one never knew just when—the faintest of breezes sifted down and blurred the lacery of tree-fern shadows. The wind was cool and soon strengthened, and by night the air was surging violently through the gap, si-phoned from the cold summits down to the hot, humid valleys. Day after day one reawakened to the sense of tropical surroundings from a conviction of a northern autumn, with the wind full of swishing leaves and the fronds sighing with the same sad cadence as the needles of scented pines of the northland.—William Beebe, in The Atlantic.

Are You a Dangler?

A dangler is one who dangles, that is one who awaits the decisions of other people instead of choosing his own course and making circumstances conform to it. The dangler may be found any day in the open market, complaining because nobody hires him, or her, as the case may be. Our most celebrated and successful laborers asked no odds of anybody. They simply went to work, somewhere, anywhere that offered opportunity, and then they helped to build up the community that supported them and so became in time "grand old men," who to undeciphering minds seemed to have been wonderfully favored by fortune. They did not dangle, but became the strong supports upon which folk of a weaker sort leaned, and to whom, that virtue would come out of them.

Artificial Sponge Propagation.

The growing scarcity of sponges has warned those familiar with harvesting them that unless means are provided to augment the natural supply the sponge industry will be seriously crippled in a few years more. An Englishman, living in Florida, some time ago selected a site off the Florida coast, where he started a sponge farm. At present he has about 600,000 sponges, which are capable of subdivision of increasing about tenfold every three years. At the end of three years an annual yield of 2,000,000 sponges can be had.—Portsmouth Chronicle.

The Big Mistake.

The only big mistake the Lord ever made, writes Aunt Mandy in the Pats Mercury, was in lovin' so many places to put things. I've been lyin' to the major ever 'saturday night for fifty years about his red flannel underwear an' he always ketches me by it. No woman kin keep her religion an' lose the job of puttin' a man's things away once a week for that long. It 'all make a liar out of the best woman that ever lived, an' it makes me ashamed ever time I think up how the major has kept his confidence in me.—Kansas City Star.

Habitual Tendency.

"This show was written for the tired business man," remarked the manager. "The production cost, a fortune." "That's the one thing," replied Mr. Dupin, Stax, "that bothered me. I'm a tired business man myself, and I got so busy figuring how you are going to pay interest on your investment that I couldn't keep my mind on the performance."

World Is Changing.

The world is changing, and humanity has less patience with difficult people. Cranky workers are not given preference even when they are distinguished by unusual skill. Women who aspire to popularity know that they must bury all annoyance at whatever does not please them in the treatment accorded them. They cannot afford to voice any sensitive feeling or take any step toward retaliation. The lesson may be hard, but it is decidedly wholesome, and the pity of it is that so few women care to take it.—Milwaukee Wisconsin.

Keep Hands Off Wounds.

A wound should never be touched with the bare hands. It is better to cover it up just as it is rather than to run the risk of introducing another colony of perhaps even more dangerous germs. If possible, however, the wound should be washed out with an antiseptic solution. If water is to be used, it should have been boiled at least ten minutes, as simply bringing it to the boiling point will not kill the germs.

Goldsmith's World-Wideness.

One of the most memorable things to be remarked in Goldsmith is the note of world-wideness which he introduced into literature. There is a total absence in him of local prejudice, which is in strong contrast with the vigorous and almost barbaric insularity of Johnson. He had once thought of emigrating to America, and would have done so but for one of those humorous incidents so common in his haphazard life.

The Art of Living.

If music is the art in which you are ambitious to distinguish yourself, you may have to go away from home to get the necessary training, and perhaps cross the water, to secure the finishing touches. But the art of living can be practiced right at home, and very likely you will have as good instruction as can be found anywhere, in the circle of your own family.—Exchange.

When Gloves Became Popular.

Although worn before, gloves did not find favor with women until the fourteenth century, when they were always in evidence. If not on the hands, in them or carried stuck in the girdle, the stitching that made the fingers extending far down the back of the hand and finished off with fancy stitch and embroidery, the gauntlet often jeweled, the whole glove perfumed.

Modern Magic.

The fairy's wand which turned a ragged gown into a dress fit for a princess, and a pumpkin into a coach, is not altogether a myth. The cheerful disposition which sees everything at its best, rather than its worst, makes as wonderful transformations. The magic of cheerfulness is still at work.—Exchange.

What One Needs.

'Tis a good old world to live in, so you need yourself; a house; to love in, so you need a spouse; to go in, so you need a car or horse; to know in, so you need a college course; to read in, so you need some books; to shine in, so you need good clothes and looks.—Exchange.

It Wasn't His Fault.

One youngster in school had delivered a severe kick in the stomach to another lad. When taken to task as to why he had struck his playmate there he said: "I didn't mean to hit him there, but he turned around just in time."

Needed Experience.

A lady person has to live a good bunch of years before she is more concerned about how her shoes feel to her feet than about how they make her feet look to other women.—Houston Post.

Avoid Sheep Sorrel.

Sheep sorrel is not often eaten by live stock owing to its sour taste, but it is well not to pasture horses or sheep on sorrel as the weed is somewhat poisonous to these animals.

A Lost Art.

The old-fashioned man who used to perform parlor tricks has been superseded by phonographs and player-pianos which any fool can operate.—Birmingham Age-Herald.

Easy to Raise Sheep.

Sheep are docile, easily handled, will live on a greater diversity of food, will thrive on pastures earlier in the spring and later in the fall and require less grain than other stock.

A Big Job.

Little Esther stood gazing at the sky, and turning to her mother, said: "Mamma, how do you 'pose God ever got that great big sky up there without breaking it?"

A Tedious Business.

The president of the United States has to sign his name about 20,000 times in the course of a year.

A New Version.

A switch in time saves the boy, and saves the father a lot of worry in time to come.

SLEPT WHILE GUNS ROARED

Charles Francis Adams Told of Taking a Nap on a Hillside During Pickett's Charge.

In the campaigns of both Antietam and Gettysburg I was an officer in a regiment of cavalry, a mere subordinate, responsible only for obedience to orders.

At Gettysburg July 3 the division to which we belonged occupied the high, partly wooded ground on the right of the line, covering the enemy's flank and rear. It was a bright July day, hot, and with white clouds slowly rolling across the sky. Neither our lines nor those of the enemy were visible to us; and the sounds of battle were hushed. Waiting for orders and for action, we dismounted, out of regard for our horses as well as for ourselves, and sat or lay on the turf.

Inured to danger by contact long and close and thoroughly tired in body and overwrought in mind we listened for the battle to begin; and shortly after noon the artillery opened. We did not know it, for we could see nothing in that direction, but it covered the famous advance of Pickett's Virginia division upon Meade's center—that wonderful feat of arms—and just then, lulled by the incessant roar of the cannon, while the fate of the army and the nation trembled in the balance, at the very crisis of the great conflict, I dropped quietly asleep. It was not heroic, but it was essentially war.—From the Autobiography of Charles Francis Adams.

HAD THOUGHT FOR OTHERS

Second Traveler Decidedly More Considerate of His Fellows Than Was the First.

At the information booth in a large railroad terminal a traveler asked for a time-table, which he looked through until he came to the particular table he wanted. This table he cut out with his pocketknife, and then he put the booklet with this table now gone out of it back on the counter.

It seemed a thoughtless thing to do because, lying there as it did with its outer cover smooth, somebody might have picked it up and carried it off thinking, naturally enough, that it was complete, to discover its real condition only when it was too late.

But this misfortune really befell no one, for a moment later another traveler standing near, who had seen all this done and who was perhaps more thoughtful than the first, picked up the torn time-table and carried it off to drop it in the nearest waste paper receptacle.

Siberia Has Vast Resources.

The common notion of Siberia is based on latitude and climate. Because part of it is in the arctic circle the whole vast region has been assumed to be almost beyond the pale of civilized occupancy. Notwithstanding that much has been written describing Siberia as it is, the common notion is still that it is fit only for penal settlements and that the nihilists and other political exiles were sent to these settlements as a living death. This is not far from the truth. But the inhospitable regions in which the penal settlements were placed are far from being all Siberia, and even some of these districts are capable of sustaining the vigorous inhabitants of northern climates.

Siberia, in the economic sense, has all the resources which go to make a vast stretch of territory self-sustaining as an independent nation. It has forests, mines and great agricultural regions where every product of the temperate climate is capable of cultivation. The timber is in the north and west. The mines are in widely scattered districts.

Reflections.

His face would have stopped a clock. But how can one wonder at it when one learns that he was a wandering lecturer? Anybody, no, one had, even seen anything approaching the face that he had into the middle of the clay one wet and muddy November night and set up in the town hall, allowing words—calculated to make every drinker of anything stronger than barley-water at once reform and spend the rest of his existence in sackcloth and ashes—slide out of the hole in the middle of it.

"Yes, my dear brothers," said the weird looking person, "for more than forty years I have shunned the glass." "And I bloom!" well believe you, guv'nor," said a loud and hearty voice from the middle of the audience. "If I'd a face like yours I wouldn't never look in a pull of water cap."—London Ideas.

The Magnetic Compass.

Experiments with magnets known to the scientists 2,500 years ago, which, developed by Doctor Gilbert and Peter Perigrinus, led up to the present-day admiralty compass of Kelvin, were shown recently by Prof. J. A. Fleming, professor of electrical engineering, University of London, at the Royal Institute.

"The earth is a magnet," said the professor, "and every piece of iron that has stood in a vertical position for any length of time is magnetized by the earth. You can try it on your garden railings."

The hostelry sign, "The Goat and Compass," he said, "does not refer to the mariner's friend, but is a contraction of the saying, 'God encompasses us,' and the compass 'takes its name, not from the magnetism which governs its working, but from the circular card which encompasses the needle."

Argumentative Woman.

The argumentative woman is a special blight and an enemy to her own charm, be she otherwise as attractive as it is possible for a body to be. Argument in itself is a dignified mental process—one absolute necessity for the world's intellectual development, but it ceases to be a thing desirable when it enters every-day verbal intercourse more than an exceedingly rare every so often